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(LIVE BROADCAST FROM KREMLIN PALACE OF MALINOVSKIY SPEECH AT 45TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF THE SOVIET ARMY AND NAVY)

(TEXT) COMRADES: THESE DAYS ALL THE SOVIET PEOPLE AND THE WARRIORS OF THE SOVIET ARMY AND NAVY ARE SOLEMNLY MARKING THE 45TH ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR GALLANT ARMED FORCES BORN IN THE FIRE OF THE GREAT OCTOBER SOCIALIST REVOLUTION, IN FIERCE BATTLES DEFENDING THEIR MOTHERLAND AGAINST THE THREAT OF ENSLAVEMENT BY THE IMPERIALIST PREDATORY BEASTS. THE SOVIET PEOPLE, LOOKING BACK ON THE ROAD THEY HAVE TRAVELED WITH PRIDE, REJOICE AT THE PRESENT BLOSSOMING OF THEIR MOTHERLAND AND THE MAJESTIC PROSPECTS OF ITS DEVELOPMENT. CENTURIES WILL PASS AND A GREAT DEAL WILL BE FORGOTTEN BY THE PEOPLE; BUT THE HEROIC FEATS OF OUR PEOPLE AND ITS ARMED FORCES PERFORMED IN THE STRUGGLE FOR THE BRIGHT FUTURE OF ALL MANKIND WILL NEVER BE FORGOTTEN; THEY WILL FOREVER LIVE IN THE MEMORY OF THE PEOPLE.

NOW TOO THEY CARRY OUT WITH HONOR AND DIGNITY THEIR MILITANT WATCH, WITH BOUNDLESS DEVOTION SERVING THEIR PEOPLE, VIGILANTLY GUARDING ITS PEACEFUL TOIL. THE GREAT OCTOBER SOCIALIST REVOLUTION HAS SHAKEN TO THE FOUNDATIONS THE OLD WORLD AND LAID THE BEGINNING OF A NEW EPOCH IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF MANKIND, THE EPOCH OF SOCIALISM AND COMMUNISM.

THE WORKING CLASS OF RUSSIA AND THE POOR PEASANTS LED BY THE LENINIST PARTY RESOLUTELY TOOK THE WHEEL OF HISTORY INTO THEIR HANDS. UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF THE OCTOBER REVOLUTION A WAVE OF REVOLUTIONARY MANIFESTATIONS AROSE IN MANY CAPITALIST COUNTRIES; THE NATIONAL LIBERATION STRUGGLE IN COLONIAL AND DEPENDENT COUNTRIES BECAME ACTIVE. AT THE SAME TIME THE VICTORY OF OUR REVOLUTION AROUSE THE FURIOUS WRATH OF ITS NUMEROUS ENEMIES. THE IMPERIALISTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, AND OTHER COUNTRIES DID NOT WANT TO RECONCILE THEMSELVES TO THE FACT THAT THE DAWN OF LIBERATION HAD RISEN ON ONE-SIXTH OF THE EARTH. WITH FRANTIC HASTE THEY BEGAN HAMMERING TOGETHER A FORCE TO DESTROY THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE OCTOBER REVOLUTION AND TURN BACK THE COURSE OF HISTORICAL EVENTS.

SOME IMPERIALIST LEADERS TODAY ARE IRRITATED BY OUR RECOLLECTIONS OF THE PAST. BUT WHAT CAN ONE DO? THE PAGES OF TRUTH CANNOT BE REMOVED FROM HISTORY; AND THE TRUTH OF HISTORY IS THAT IT WAS PRECISELY THE AMERICAN, BRITISH, FRENCH, AND OTHER IMPERIALIST PLUNDERERS WHO OPENED THE CRUSADE BY 14 CAPITALIST STATES AGAINST US AND DECIDED THEN TO STRANGLE THE REPUBLIC OF THE SOVIETS, TO REDUCE RUSSIA TO THEIR COLONY. THEY WOULD HAVE DONE THIS TOO, HAD OUR PEOPLE NOT TAKEN UP ARMS, HAD THEY NOT RISEN TO THE LIBERATION STRUGGLE AGAINST THE UNITED FORCES OF THE INTERNATIONAL AND INTERNAL COUNTERREVOLUTION.

IN ORDER TO SAVE THE REVOLUTION IT WAS NECESSARY TO TRANSFORM THE COUNTRY INTO A SINGLE MILITARY CAMP, TO CREATE A MIGHTY ARMY AND MOBILIZE ALL THE STRENGTH OF THE PEOPLE TO ADMINISTER A REBUFF TO THE INTERVENTIONISTS AND THE INTERNAL COUNTERREVOLUTION. BUT THE QUESTION OF THE CREATION OF THE RED ARMY WAS THEN QUITE NEW TO US. EMPHASIZING THIS CIRCUMSTANCE, VLADIMIR ILICH LENIN SAID: "WE TACKLED A JOB WHICH NOBODY IN THE WORLD HAD HITHERTO TACKLED TO SUCH AN EXTENT. WE WENT FROM EXPERIMENT TO EXPERIMENT, FEELING OUR WAY, TESTING. IN THIS WAY IN THE GIVEN CIRCUMSTANCES THE TASK MIGHT BE RESOLVED, AND THE TASK REMAINED CLEAR. WITHOUT THE ARMED DEFENSE OF THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC WE COULD NOT HAVE EXISTED."

THE CAMPAIGNS OF THE ENTENTE FOLLOWED ONE AFTER ANOTHER, ONE MILITARY CAMPAIGN TAKING THE PLACE OF ANOTHER. MORE AND MORE NEW FRONTS AROSE, MERGING INTO THE RING OF FIRE WHICH GIRDLED THE YOUNG REPUBLIC OF THE SOVIETS. THE GERMAN IMPERIALISTS, BREAKING THE CONDITIONS OF THE ARMISTICE, WERE THE FIRST TO BEGIN THE ATTACK ON REVOLUTIONARY PETROGRAD. DETACHMENTS OF RED GUARDS, FORMED AT THE CALL OF THE GREAT LENIN, OFFERED A STUBBORN RESISTANCE TO THE SUPERIOR STRENGTH OF THE GERMAN TROOPS, AND ON 23 FEBRUARY INFLICTED A SERIOUS DEFEAT ON THEM NEAR PSKOV. THIS FIRST MILITARY SUCCESS NEAR PSKOV MARKS THE DATE OF THE BIRTH OF OUR RED ARMY. THUS 45 YEARS AGO, IN THE FIRE OF THE SAVAGE STRUGGLE WITH THE INTERVENTIONISTS, WERE BORN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE FIRST SOCIALIST STATE IN THE WORLD, WHO WERE CALLED ON TO PRESERVE THE CONQUESTS OF THE OCTOBER REVOLUTION AND TO DEFEND THE SOCIALIST HOMELAND OF THE WORKING PEOPLE.

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X X X THE WORKING PEOPLE.

(CONTINUING TEXT) THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE INTERVENTIONISTS AND THE WHITE GUARDISTS WAS WAGED IN UNEQUAL AND UNBELIEVABLY DIFFICULT CONDITIONS. THE ARMIES OF THE INTERVENTIONISTS RELIED ON THE COLOSSAL ECONOMIC RESOURCES OF MAJOR CAPITALIST STATES, HAD GREAT FIGHTING EXPERIENCE, FIRST-CLASS WEAPONS, WERE SUPPLIED WELL WITH UNIFORMS AND FOOD. THE SOVIET COUNTRY, ON THE OTHER HAND, WEAKENED AND SHAKEN BY THE FIRST IMPERIALIST WORLD WAR, EXPERIENCED DURING THAT PERIOD UNHEARD-OF DIFFICULTIES. THE RED ARMY LACKED A SUFFICIENT QUANTITY OF ARMS, AMMUNITION, AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT. THERE WAS A SHORTAGE OF BREAD AND UNIFORMS. DESPITE THIS IT BRAVELY FOUGHT AGAINST NUMEROUS ENEMIES OF THE NEW SOVIET STATE, DISPLAYING UNPRECEDENTED MASS HEROISM.

IN THOSE DIFFICULT YEARS, REPULSING THE ONSLAUGHT OF INTERNATIONAL REACTION AND THE INTERNAL COUNTERREVOLUTION, THE SOVIET COUNTRY WAS COMPELLED, IN PERIODS OF TEMPORARY RESPITES, TO MAINTAIN FULL MILITARY PREPAREDNESS TO REPULSE NEW DRIVES OF THE IMPERIALISTS, AND IN GOOD TIME TO DRAW FROM THE ARMY FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE NATIONAL ECONOMY. "WE CANNOT," VLADIMIR ILICH LENIN SAID, "WEAKEN OUR MILITARY FORCES BUT WE MUST SWITCH THE WHOLE MACHINE OF SOVIET POWER, SHARPENED BY THE WAR, ONTO NEW RAILS OF PEACEFUL ECONOMIC CONSTRUCTION."

IN THESE PECULIAR CONDITIONS, BY A DECISION OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE PARTY AND THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT SOME ARMIES WERE TURNED INTO LABOR ARMIES. THE FIGHTERS OF THOSE ARMIES HELD A RIFLE IN ONE HAND AND WITH THE OTHER TOOK THE IMPLEMENTS OF LABOR IN ORDER TO RESTORE THE NATIONAL ECONOMY DEVASTATED BY THE WAR. NEITHER HUNGER NOR DEVASTATION NOR EPIDEMICS--NOTHING COULD BREAK THE WILL FOR VICTORY. THE YOUNG RED ARMY, TOGETHER WITH THE WORKERS AND PEASANTS OF THE COUNTRY, WORKED A MIRACLE AND UTTERLY ROUTED THE MERCENARY HORDES OF THE INTERVENTIONISTS AND WHITE GUARDS, REPELLED THE FIRST LARGE-SCALE ARMED ATTACK OF THE IMPERIALISTS ON OUR COUNTRY, ASSERTING THE HONOR AND INDEPENDENCE OF OUR HOMELAND. (APPLAUSE)

THUS THE ATTEMPTS OF THE IMPERIALISTS TO STRANGLE THE EMBRYO OF THE YOUNG SOVIET REPUBLIC ENDED INGLORIOUSLY. WHILE ENGAGING IN PEACEFUL LABOR THE SOVIET PEOPLE NEVER FORGOT THE POSSIBILITY OF A NEW OFFENSIVE BY THE IMPERIALISTS. PURSUING THE PRECEPTS OF LENIN, THE COMMUNIST PARTY DISPLAYED CONSTANT CONCERN FOR INCREASING THE MIGHT OF THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES. THE 'SUCCESSSES IN THE BUILDING OF SOCIALISM, THE AFFIRMATION IN OUR COUNTRY OF THE MORAL-POLITICAL UNITY OF THE SOVIET SOCIETY PROVIDED THE CONDITIONS FOR THE UNSWERVING INCREASE IN THE DEFENSE POTENTIAL OF OUR HOMELAND.

BY THE END OF THE 1930 S THE SOVIET ARMY, IN TERMS OF ITS MANPOWER EQUIPMENT AND ORGANIZATION, HAD REACHED THE STANDARD OF THE LEADING ARMIES IN THE WORLD. BUT EVEN IN THE YEARS OF PEACEFUL BUILDING, THE IMPERIALISTS WERE NOT WILLING TO LEAVE US IN PEACE. FROM TIME TO TIME THEY TESTED THE DEFENSE POTENTIAL OF OUR HOMELAND BY ARMS. IN 1929 THEY UNDERTOOK SUCH AN ATTEMPT ON THE KVZHD (KITAYSKO-VOSTOCHNAYA ZHELEZNAYA DOROGE--THE CHINESE EASTERN RAILWAY). THEN BY MEANS OF THE JAPANESE MILITARY THE PROVOCATIVE ACTIONS AT LAKE KHASAN IN 1938 AND ON THE RIVER KMALKHIN-GOL IN 1939 WERE CARRIED OUT.

EVERYBODY KNOWS THE LAMENTABLE RESULTS OF ALL THESE MILITARY PROVOCATIONS. HOWEVER, THIS LESSON, TOO, WAS NOT OF BENEFIT TO THE IMPERIALISTS; THEY CONTINUED TO PUT TOGETHER FORCES WHICH COULD BE THROWN ONCE MORE AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION. THIS CRIMINAL POLICY ULTIMATELY BROUGHT ABOUT THE SECOND WORLD WAR. HAVING TAKEN POWER INTO THEIR HANDS IN THEIR COUNTRY THE GERMAN FASCISTS, USING THE CONNIVANCE OF REACTIONARY RULING CIRCLES IN THE WEST, BEGAN TO LAY CLAIMS TO PLAYING AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS AND LATER TO WORLD DOMINATION. BECOMING GRADUALLY MORE INSOLENT, FASCISM CONSTITUTED A REAL DANGER OF WAR.

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(CONTINUING TEXT) AS EARLY AS WHEN THE FIRST STEPS TOWARD THE APPROACHING DANGER OF WAR WERE TAKEN, THE SOVIET UNION ATTENTIVELY FOLLOWED THESE INTRIGUES OF WORLD IMPERIALISM AND GAVE A SERIOUS WARNING TO WORLD PUBLIC OPINION ABOUT THE ONCOMING WAR. THE SOVIET UNION WAS FULLY DETERMINED TO BRIDLE THE FASCIST AGGRESSOR AND NOT GIVE IT AN OPPORTUNITY TO UNLEASH A WAR. HOWEVER, THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, AND FRANCE DID NOT WISH TO TAKE CONCRETE AND PRACTICAL STEPS AGAINST FASCISM; ON THE CONTRARY THEY SPENT MANY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS HELPING GERMAN MONOPOLISTS TO REAR FASCISM, TO ARM THE GERMAN FASCIST ARMY AND SEND IT TO THE EAST.

AS A RESULT OF THIS POLICY PURSUED BY THE WESTERN STATES, HITLERITE GERMANY UNLEASHED THE SECOND WORLD WAR, SEIZING CZECHOSLOVAKIA, POLAND, FRANCE, YUGOSLAVIA, BELGIUM, DENMARK, HOLLAND, NORWAY, AND SEVERAL OTHER COUNTRIES WITHOUT ENCOUNTERING ANY CONSIDERABLE RESISTANCE WHATEVER. A HEAVY DEFEAT WAS INFLICTED ON BRITAIN. USING THE ENTIRE ECONOMY OF ENSLAVED COUNTRIES, FASCIST GERMANY CREATED A MONSTROUS MILITARY MACHINE AND THREW IT AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION. INEBRIATED WITH THE EASY VICTORIES IN THE WEST, FASCIST GERMANY CONSIDERED ITSELF INVINCIBLE AND SET UP AN ADVENTUROUS TARGET--TO ERASE THE SOVIET UNION FROM THE FACE OF THE WORLD, TO SEIZE ITS TERRITORY, AND TO TRANSFORM THE SOVIET PEOPLE INTO SLAVES.

THE WAR IMPOSED BY THE HITLERITES WAS THE SEVEREST TRIAL FOR OUR STATE AND ITS ARMED FORCES. THE GREAT PATRIOTIC WAR WAS THE MOST DIFFICULT OF ALL THE WARS ENDURED BY OUR MOTHERLAND. HITLERITE GERMANY ATTACKED OUR COUNTRY WITHOUT DECLARING WAR AND PERFIDIOUSLY VIOLATED THE NONAGGRESSION TREATY. IT FORWARDED AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION 190 DIVISIONS, NEARLY 5,000 PLANES, OVER 3,500 TANKS, AND OVER 50,000 GUNS AND MORTARS. THE SURPRISE ATTACK OF THE ENEMY PUT OUR COUNTRY AND ARMY UNDER UTTERLY DIFFICULT CONDITIONS. OUR TROOPS GUARDING STATE FRONTIERS PUT UP HEROIC RESISTANCE TO THE AGGRESSOR. HOWEVER, IN UNEQUAL STRUGGLE AGAINST THE SUPERIOR FORCES OF THE ENEMY, HAVING HAD TREMENDOUS LOSSES IN MEN AND MACHINES, THEY WERE COMPELLED TO WITHDRAW INTO THE INTERIOR OF THE COUNTRY. THE ENEMY OCCUPIED A CONSIDERABLE PART OF SOVIET TERRITORY AND WAS STRAINING TO REACH ITS VITAL CENTERS. A DEADLY THREAT MENACED THE COUNTRY.

WHAT ACCOUNTED LARGELY FOR OUR SETBACKS IN THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR WERE THE DIFFICULT CONDITIONS OF THE CULT OF STALIN'S PERSONALITY. IT WAS BY HIS DIRECTION THAT THE LEADING COMMANDING AND POLITICAL PERSONNEL OF OUR ARMED FORCES WAS SUBJECTED IN THE PREWAR YEARS TO UNJUSTIFIED MASS-SCALE REPRESSIONS. STALIN'S GROSS ARBITRARINESS WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATH OF MANY THOUSANDS OF SOVIET COMMANDERS DEVOTED TO THE PARTY AND THE PEOPLE. STALIN PERMITTED A MAJOR MISCALCULATION IN THE APPRAISAL OF THE MILITARY AND POLITICAL SITUATION ON THE EVE OF THE WAR IN HOLDING THAT HITLERITE GERMANY WOULD NOT DARE TO ATTACK THE SOVIET UNION AND WAGE WAR ON TWO FRONTS.

ALL THAT LED TO THE UNDERMINING OF THE FIGHTING CAPACITY AND MILITARY PREPAREDNESS OF OUR ARMY AND NAVY. BUT THE HARD TRIALS DID NOT BREAK THE MILITANT SPIRIT OF THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES, DID NOT SHAKE THE STEADFASTNESS OF THE PEOPLE IN THEIR BOUNDLESS FAITH IN THE TRIUMPH OF THEIR JUST CAUSE.

AT THAT FORMIDABLE TIME FOR OUR COUNTRY, JUST AS IN THE YEARS OF THE CIVIL WAR, THE COMMUNIST PARTY MOBILIZED ALL THE FORCES OF THE COUNTRY TO REBUFF THE ENEMY. IT RAISED THE MANY-MILLION-STRONG SOVIET PEOPLE FOR THE JUST LIBERATION WAR AGAINST THE FASCIST INVADERS. THE FLAME OF PARTISAN STRUGGLE FLARED UP ON THE TERRITORY TEMPORARILY OCCUPIED BY THE HITLERITES.

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(CONTINUING TEXT) THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES, INSPIRED AND GUIDED BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY, RIPPED, GREW STRONGER, AND WERE TEMPERED IN BATTLES. NOT ONLY WERE THEY ABLE TO STAND UP TO THE STRONG BLOWS OF THE HITLERITE WAR MACHINE BUT THEY STOPPED THE ENEMY, AND AFTER THAT THEY INFLECTED TOTAL DEFEAT ON HIM. THE COUNTERBLOWS OF OUR TROOPS IN THE AREA OF YELNA AND NEAR ROSTOV, THE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE AT TIKHVIN, AND THE GLOIOUS VICTORY WON BY THE SOVIET ARMY NEAR MOSCOW SCATTERED TO ASHES THE LEGEND OF THE INVINCIBILITY OF THE HITLERITE ARMY AND BURIED THE PLAN OF A LIGHTNING WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION. IN THE BATTLE ON THE VOLGA, IMMENSE IN SCALE, WHOSE 20TH ANNIVERSARY WE MARKED RECENTLY, THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES ROUTED A VERY LARGE ENEMY GROUP. THIS VICTORY BECAME THE BEGINNING OF A RADICAL TURNING POINT IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR. IT FORCED THE HITLERITES TO ANNOUNCE A THREE-DAY MOURNING. IT WAS FOLLOWED BY A WHOLE CHAIN OF SEVERE DEFEATS FOR THE HITLERITE ARMY. IN THE SUMMER OF 1943, IN A FIERCE BATTLE NEAR KURSK, THE GERMAN FASCIST ARMY SUFFERED A DEFEAT FROM WHICH IT COULD NO LONGER RECOVER.

THIS LIFE AND DEATH BATTLE, PARALLELED IN THE HISTORY OF WARS, FINALLY BROKE ITS BACKBONE. THE BATTLE AT KURSK WAS THE BEGINNING OF THE GREATEST STRATEGIC ADVANCE OF THE SOVIET TROOPS, WHICH IN FACT DID NOT END RIGHT UP UNTIL THE GERMAN ARMY SURRENDER.

IN 1944, SOVIET ARMED FORCES INFLECTED A NUMBER OF CRUSHING BLOWS AGAINST THE ENEMY, COMPLETED THE LIBERATION OF SOVIET TERRITORY, AND CARRIED THE MILITARY OPERATIONS OUTSIDE THE CONFINES OF OUR COUNTRY. THE HITLERITE INVADEES WERE DRIVEN OUT OF RUMANIA, BULGARIA, FINLAND, A CONSIDERABLE PART OF POLAND AND HUNGARY. IN THE OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS OF THE LATEST PERIOD OF THE WAR, WHICH DEVELOPED ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT FROM THE BALTIC TO THE CARPATHIANS, HITLERITE TROOPS WERE SMASHED IN EAST PRUSSIA, POLAND, AT BELGRADE, BUDAPEST, VIENNA, AT BERLIN AND PRAGUE. THE SOVIET ARMY HAD FULLY LIBERATED POLAND, HUNGARY, AND A CONSIDERABLE PART OF AUSTRIA AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THE CONCLUSION OF THE DEFEAT OF THE GERMAN FASCIST ARMY WAS THE MILITARY OPERATIONS WHICH DEVELOPED AROUND BERLIN AND IN BERLIN ITSELF, IN THE COURSE OF WHICH THE NEARLY 1-MILLION-STRONG GROUPING OF THE ENEMY WAS TOTALLY SMASHED. AFTER THIS, FASCIST GERMANY WAS NO LONGER CAPABLE OF CONTINUING ORGANIZED RESISTANCE AND SURRENDERED UNCONDITIONALLY. (APPLAUSE) THE RED BANNER OF VICTORY WAS UNFURLED OVER THE REICHSTAG. (APPLAUSE)

SOON AFTER THE DEFEAT OF HITLER'S GERMANY THE SOVIET UNION, IN AN ENDEAVOR TO ELIMINATE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE THE LAST HOTBED OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR IN ASIA, AND FULFILLING THE ALLIED OBLIGATIONS IT HAD UNDERTAKEN, ENTERED INTO THE WAR AGAINST IMPERIALIST JAPAN. THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES INFLECTED A CRUSHING BLOW ON THE CRACK FORCES OF THE JAPANESE IMPERIALISTS--THE KWANTUNG ARMY--AND LIBERATED NORTHEAST CHINA AND NORTH KOREA FROM THE INTERVENTIONISTS. (APPLAUSE) ON 2 SEPTEMBER 1945, JAPAN ADMITTED DEFEAT AND SIGNED THE ACT OF UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER. (APPLAUSE)

THE SHATTERING OF HITLERITE GERMANY AND IMPERIAL JAPAN CREATED THE CONDITIONS FOR THE VICTORY OF THE PEOPLE'S POWER IN POLAND, RUMANIA, BULGARIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, YUGOSLAVIA, ALBANIA, HUNGARY, CHINA, NORTH KOREA, AND NORTH VIETNAM. (APPLAUSE) THE PEOPLES WHO SET FOOT ON THE ROAD OF SOCIALISM, HAND IN HAND WITH THE SOVIET ARMY, CLEANSED THEIR LAND OF THE FASCIST ENSLAVERS. IN THIS STRUGGLE THE MILITANT COLLABORATION, SEALED WITH BLOOD, OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE SOCIALIST STATES WAS CREATED FOR ALL TIME.

THE VICTORIOUS OUTCOME OF THE GREAT PATRIOTIC WAR SIGNIFIED THE COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF IMPERIALISM'S TERRIBLE INVASION OF OUR HOMELAND. THIS OUTCOME SHOWED ONCE AGAIN THE INEXHAUSTIBLE STRENGTH CONCEALED WITHIN ITSELF OF A PEOPLE WHICH HAS LIBERATED ITSELF FROM CAPITALIST SLAVERY. AND THE FEATS, UNEXAMPLED IN HISTORY, OF WHICH IT IS CAPABLE IN DEFENSE OF THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE OF ITS HOMELAND. (APPLAUSE)

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(CONTINUING TEXT) AND NO MATTER HOW MUCH THE GENTLEMEN IMPERIALISTS AND THEIR LACKEYS SLANDER US, NO MATTER HOW HARD THEY TRY TO FALSIFY HISTORY, THEY WILL NOT SUCCEED IN HIDING THE REAL TRUTH FROM THE PEOPLE. MANKIND WILL NEVER FORGET THE GREAT EXPLOIT OF THE SOVIET PEOPLE AND OF THEIR ARMED FORCES, ACCOMPLISHED BY THEM IN THE NAME OF THE FREEDOM AND HAPPINESS OF THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD. THE VICTORY OF OUR PEOPLE (PROLONGED APPLAUSE), THE VICTORY OF OUR PEOPLE AND OF THEIR SOLDIERS WILL NOT FADE FOR CENTURIES. FROM THE SEVERE TESTS OF THE CIVIL AND THE GREAT PATRIOTIC WARS THE ARMY OF THE COUNTRY OF THE SOVIETS HAS EMERGED STRONGER AND ALL THE MORE TEMPERED. IT WAS TRANSFORMED INTO A TRULY INVINCIBLE ARMY, VIGILANTLY STANDING ON GUARD OVER THE PEACEFUL TOIL OF THE SOVIET PEOPLE, WHO ARE BUILDING COMMUNISM AND THE BRIGHT FUTURE OF ALL MANKIND. (PROLONGED APPLAUSE)

OUR ARMY HAS A TRULY POPULAR CHARACTER AND IS INDISSOLUBLY LINKED WITH THE PEOPLE, WHO LOVE DEARLY THEIR ARMY AND ARE PROUD OF ITS FIGHTING GLORY. ARMY AND PEOPLE LIVE IN OUR COUNTRY WITH THE SAME THOUGHTS AND THE SAME FEELINGS. THE SOVIET PEOPLE ARE DEEPLY CONSCIOUS OF THE NECESSITY OF STRENGTHENING THE ARMED FORCES AND OF THEIR JUST PURPOSE. THEY KNOW THAT THE SOVIET ARMY CARRIES ON ITS BANNERS TO THE PEOPLES NOT THE THREAT OF AGGRESSION BUT PEACE AND SECURITY. THE INVIOABLE STRENGTH OF OUR ARMY AND NAVY (PROLONGED APPLAUSE) CONSISTS IN THE WISE LEADERSHIP OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. IN THE DIFFICULT YEARS OF THE CIVIL WAR AND IN THE GRIM DAYS OF THE GREAT PATRIOTIC WAR, THE PARTY WAS THE INSPIRER AND ORGANIZER OF OUR VICTORIES. IT HAS UNITED ALL THE SOVIET PEOPLE AND CAPABLY AND COURAGEOUSLY DIRECTED THEIR EFFORTS TOWARD THE ROUTING OF ENEMIES. THE PARTY'S CONSTANT LEADERSHIP OVER THE ARMED FORCES IS A TRUE GUARANTEE OF THE STEADFAST IMPROVEMENT OF THEIR FIGHTING POTENTIAL. (PROLONGED APPLAUSE)

IN THE DECISIONS OF THE 22D CONGRESS OF OUR PARTY AND IN THE PROGRAM ADOPTED BY IT THE LOYALTY OF THE SOVIET UNION TO THE LENINIST PRINCIPLE OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE OF STATES WITH DIFFERING SOCIAL ORDERS IS AGAIN CONFIRMED, REVEALING THE PEACEFUL TREND OF THE FOREIGN POLICY OF THE SOVIET UNION THE PARTY AT THE SAME TIME INDICATED MOST RESOLUTELY THE NECESSITY OF DEMONSTRATING UNCEASING VIGILANCE OVER AGGRESSIVE INTRIGUES OF ENEMIES OF PEACE, TO MAINTAIN CONSTANT GUARD OVER PEACEFUL LABOR, AND TO MAINTAIN A CONSTANT READINESS FOR THE ARMED DEFEND OF OUR MOTHERLAND.

THESE PROGRAMMATIC OUTLINES OF THE PARTY ARE BEING PERSISTENTLY PUT INTO PRACTICE. DURING THE PAST 10 YEARS THE DEVELOPMENT OF OUR ARMED FORCES HAS UNDERGONE A CONSIDERABLE QUALITATIVE ADVANCE. ON THE INITIATIVE AND UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND OF NIKITA SERGEYEVICH KHRUSHCHEV PERSONALLY, TRULY REVOLUTIONARY TRANSFORMATIONS IN THE ARMAMENT AND ORGANIZATION OF THE TROOPS AND IN MILITARY MATTERS AS A WHOLE WERE EFFECTED WITH EXTRAORDINARY BOLDNESS AND GREAT ENTERPRISE. (APPLAUSE)

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OF LATE THE STRATEGIC ROCKET TROOPS (RAKETNYE VOYSKA) HAVE BEEN INCREASINGLY SUPPLIED WITH GLOBAL MISSILES (RAKETY) CAPABLE OF SUCCESSFULLY PIERCING THE ANTIMISSILE DEFENSE; AND NO MATTER HOW STRONG THIS DEFENSE IS, THESE MISSILES (RAKETY) WILL IRRESISTIBLY REACH THE SET TARGETS AND DELIVER TO THEM THEIR LETHAL LOAD.

THE PERSONNEL OF THE ROCKET TROOPS ARE PERSISTENTLY MASTERING THE FORMIDABLE MILITARY EQUIPMENT ENTRUSTED TO THEM. LAST YEAR ALONE THE NUMBER OF DISTINGUISHED SUBUNITS INCREASED TWOFOLD, WHILE THE NUMBER OF CLASS SPECIALISTS ALMOST TREBLED. OUT OF ALL PRACTICE MILITARY FIRINGS OF MISSILES OF MEDIUM RANGE, ABOUT 95 PERCENT WERE CARRIED OUT WITH MARKS OF "EXCELLENT" AND "GOOD," WHILE IN THE MILITARY TRAINING WITH INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES ALL LAUNCHINGS HAVE FOR THE SECOND YEAR RUNNING BEEN DONE WITH MARKS ONLY OF "EXCELLENT" AND "GOOD."

THIS IS THE GROWING COMBAT SKILL OF THE SOVIET ROCKET TROOPS, REPLYING IN DEEDS TO THE TASK SET THEM OF ALWAYS BEING IN A STATE OF COMBAT READINESS FOR THE ARMED DEFENSE OF OUR HOMELAND.

OUR GROUND FORCES HAVE BEEN TRANSFORMED IN MANY WAYS. IN NUMBER THEY HAVE BEEN CONSIDERABLY REDUCED IN RECENT YEARS; AT THE SAME TIME THEIR COMBAT CAPACITIES HAVE GREATLY INCREASED. THE BASIS OF THE COMBAT MIGHT OF THE GROUND FORCES NOW IS OPERATIONAL TACTICAL MISSILES (RAKETY OPERATIVNO-TAKTICHESKOGO NAZNACHENIYA), CAPABLE OF HITTING WITH NUCLEAR WARHEADS (ZARYADY) ANY OF THE ENEMY'S TARGETS AT DISTANCES OF FROM SEVERAL KILOMETERS TO MANY HUNDRED KILOMETERS.

THE PROPORTION OF TANKS IN THE GROUND FORCES HAS INCREASED CONSIDERABLY AND THEIR COMBAT QUALITIES HAVE BEEN IMPROVED. IN QUANTITY AND ESPECIALLY IN QUALITY OF TANKS AND SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY PIECES (USTANOVKA) OUR MOTORIZED AND TANK DIVISIONS ARE CONSIDERABLY SUPERIOR TO THE CORRESPONDING DIVISIONS IN THE MOST ADVANCED CAPITALIST ARMIES. THE COMBAT SKILL OF THE PERSONNEL OF THE GROUND FORCES IS STEADILY GROWING. IN THE PAST YEAR, ALMOST 90 PERCENT OF THE COMBAT LAUNCHINGS OF OPERATIONAL TACTICAL MISSILES (OPERATIVNO-TAKTICHESKIYE RAKETY) WERE CARRIED OUT FROM "EXCELLENTLY" TO "WELL." GOOD RESULTS IN COMBAT TRAINING WERE SHOWN BY OUR TANK TROOPS AND ARTILLERYMEN. OUR GROUND TROOPS, WHICH HAVE GREAT FIGHTING FORCE AND STRIKING POWER, ARE CAPABLE OF GOING OVER QUICKLY TO A DECISIVE ATTACK, OR ADVANCING AT HIGH SPEED AND TO A GREAT DEPTH, USING WIDE MANEUVERS IN THE COURSE OF THEIR COMBAT ACTIVITY.

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(CONTINUING TEXT) OUR AIRBORNE FORCES HAVE BEEN CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED IN QUALITY DURING THE PAST FEW YEARS. HAVING AT THEIR DISPOSAL GOOD ARMS AND MODERN MEANS FOR MAKING AIRDROPS FROM JET TRANSPORTS AND HELICOPTERS WITH BIG CAPACITIES, THEY ARE CAPABLE OF SOLVING IMPORTANT TASKS DEEP IN THE ENEMY'S REAR. OUR GLORIOUS AIRBORNE TROOPS, ALONG WITH THE AIR FORCE TRANSPORT AVIATION, ARE INCREASING THEIR COMBAT SKILL EVERY YEAR. LAST YEAR THEY MADE OVER 300,000 JUMPS FROM PLANES. THEY SUCCESSFULLY DROPPED A LARGE QUANTITY OF ARMS AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT. OUR AIR FORCE TRANSPORT AVIATION IS CAPABLE OF SHIFTING BY AIR SUCH MODERN EQUIPMENT AS ROCKETS, TANKS, GUNS, AND ARMORED VEHICLES.

THANKS TO THE MEASURES ADOPTED BY THE PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE DURING THE PAST 10 YEARS THE ARMAMENT AND ORGANIZATION OF OUR ANTIAIRCRAFT DEFENSE TROOPS HAVE RADICALLY CHANGED. IN OUR COUNTRY THEY HAVE BECOME NOT ONLY ANTIAIRCRAFT DEFENSE TROOPS BUT ALSO ANTIROCKET DEFENSE TROOPS. AN IMPORTANT, EXCLUSIVE ROLE IS BEING PLAYED BY THIS BRANCH OF ARMED FORCES IN THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE AGGRESSOR'S MODERN MEANS OF NUCLEAR ATTACK AND AGAINST HIS ATTEMPTS TO RECONNOITER IN OUR COUNTRY FROM THE AIR AND FROM SPACE. IN OUR COUNTRY THE BASIS OF THE ANTIAIRCRAFT FORCES DEFENSE CONSISTS OF ANTIAIRCRAFT ROCKET TROOPS. THEY COPE WELL WITH SUCH MANEUVERABLE MEANS AS NEW AIR-FIGHTER COMPLEXES FOR INTERCEPTION, MAKING IT POSSIBLE TO DISCOVER AIR TARGETS AT LONG RANGE, EFFECTIVELY DIRECT AGAINST THEM FIGHTERS FROM THE GROUND, AND CONFIDENTLY DEFEAT THE AIR ENEMY BY AIR-TO-AIR ROCKETS.

PERSONNEL OF THE ANTIAIRCRAFT AND ANTIROCKET DEFENSE ARE PERSISTENTLY ASSIMILATING COMPLICATED MILITARY EQUIPMENT. IN THE LAST YEAR THE NUMBER OF EXCELLENT SUBDETACHMENTS HAS CONSIDERABLY INCREASED. THE ANTIAIRCRAFT ROCKET FORCES CARRIED OUT UP TO 85 PERCENT LIVE FIRINGS EITHER WELL OR EXCELLENTLY. IN FIGHTER AVIATION THE SUCCESS RATE OF AIR ROCKET FIRING REACHED 99 PERCENT.

IN THE AGGREGATE, TROOPS OF THE ANTIAIRCRAFT AND ANTIROCKET DEFENSE HAVE AT PRESENT ALL THEY NEED TO BE ALWAYS A RELIABLE ANTINUCLEAR SHIELD OF THE SOCIALIST MOTHERLAND.

IMPORTANT CHANGES HAVE OCCURRED IN RECENT YEARS IN THE AIR FORCE TOO. OBSOLETE MILITARY AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY REPLACED BY MODERN JETS, INCLUDING SUPERSONIC LONG-RANGE BOMBERS. THE BOMBER HAS BEEN REPLACED BY THE ROCKET-CARRYING AIRCRAFT, CAPABLE OF CARRYING OUT WITH GREAT ACCURACY NUCLEAR ROCKET STRIKES AGAINST THE ENEMY, FROM A LONG RANGE, WITHOUT ENTERING THE AREA WHERE THEY WOULD BE VULNERABLE TO HIS ANTIAIRCRAFT DEFENSES.

OUR COURAGEOUS AIRMEN ARE SUCCESSFULLY ASSIMILATING NEW AVIATION TECHNOLOGY. MORE THAN 70 PERCENT ARE PILOTS OF THE FIRST OR SECOND CLASS. THE SUCCESS RATE OF AIR ROCKET LAUNCHINGS AGAINST GROUND TARGETS LAST YEAR OVER THE VARIOUS AIR FORCE COMMANDS (ROD AVIATSID) WAS 95-100 PERCENT. THE AIR FORCE IS ALWAYS READY TO CARRY OUT ANY TASKS SET FOR IT.

GREAT CHANGES HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN OUR NAVY, WHICH HAS BECOME, IN THE PRESENT STAGE, MAINLY A SUBMARINE FLEET. SUBMARINES OF VARIOUS CLASSES ARE NOW THE NAVY'S CHIEF FORCE. AT THE SAME TIME, THIS FORCE IS BASED ON ATOMIC-POWERED SUBMARINES ARMED WITH ROCKETS AND TORPEDOES WITH NUCLEAR WARHEADS. MODERN SUBMARINES ARE CAPABLE OF CARRYING OUT SUCCESSFUL MILITARY OPERATIONS AGAINST AIRCRAFT CARRIERS AND ROCKET CARRYING SUBMARINES, OF DESTROYING ENEMY ROCKET SUBMARINES AND MILITARY OBJECTS ON THE-GROUND. THEY CAN OPERATE AT GREAT DISTANCES FROM THEIR BASES, REMAIN FOR A LONG TIME UNDER WATER, MOVE WITH GREAT SPEED UNDER WATER AND UNDER ICE AND HIT ANY OBJECTS BY LAUNCHING ROCKETS FROM UNDER WATER. (APPLAUSE)

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SEVENTH ADD 66 (MALINOVSKIY TEXT)

X X X UNDER WATER. (APPLAUSE)

(CONTINUING TEXT) APART FROM SUBMARINES, THE NAVAL ROCKET-CARRYING AND ANTISUBMARINE AIR FORCE HAS BECOME VERY IMPORTANT IN OUR NAVY. IT IS CAPABLE OF LOCATING AND DESTROYING BOTH SURFACE SHIPS AND SUBMARINES OF THE ENEMY.

THE OVERSEAS STRATEGISTS HAVE RECENTLY BEEN HATCHING PLANS TO SUBSTITUTE FOR THE GROUND ROCKET BASES THEY SET UP AROUND THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES ATOMIC SUBMARINES EQUIPPED WITH POLARIS MISSILES. IT IS THEIR IDEA THAT THESE SUBMARINES WILL BE AT SEA AND WILL CONSTITUTE MANEUVERABLE UNDERWATER ROCKET BASES AIMED AT THE SOVIET UNION AND THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES. I MUST DECLARE WITH ALL RESPONSIBILITY THAT THIS WILL NOT GIVE THE HEADS OF THE PENTAGON THE MILITARY ADVANTAGES THEY EXPECT. OUR NAVY, IN JOINT ACTION WITH THE ROCKET TROOPS AND THE AIR FORCE, IS CAPABLE OF COPING EQUALLY WELL WITH BOTH LAND AND SUBMARINE ROCKET BASES. (APPLAUSE)

ALTOGETHER, OUR ARMED FORCES AT PRESENT HAVE THE MOST MODERN MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND ARMS. LENIN'S PROPHECY THAT NEW INVENTIONS IN THE FIELD OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY WOULD MAKE THE DEFENSE OF OUR COUNTRY SO POWERFUL THAT ANY ATTACK ON IT WOULD BECOME IMPOSSIBLE IS COMING TRUE. (APPLAUSE)

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ALL MEMBERS OF OUR ARMED FORCES ARE BEING REARED IN THE SPIRIT OF COMPLETE DEVOTION TO THEIR PEOPLE, THE SOCIALIST COUNTRY, THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT; IN THE SPIRIT OF FRIENDSHIP OF THE PEOPLES, CONSCIOUS FULFILLMENT BY EVERY SERVICEMAN OF HIS MILITARY DUTY, AND A HIGH SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DEFENSE OF HIS MOTHERLAND.

IN THEIR MORAL-MILITARY QUALITIES THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES ARE IMMEASURABLE AGAINST ANY CAPITALIST ARMY. AND IT IS NOT BY CHANCE THAT U.S. PRESIDENT KENNEDY, IN HIS JANUARY MESSAGE TO CONGRESS, EXPRESSED CONCERN AT THE MORAL AND PHYSICAL SHORTCOMINGS OF A GREAT PEOPLE IN THE COUNTRY. FOR THE CAPITALIST COUNTRIES THIS IS CERTAINLY A SERIOUS PROBLEM. BUT THEY WILL NOT SUCCEED IN FINDING THE KEY TO ITS SOLUTION IN THE CAPITALIST WORLD. IT IS ONLY WE WHO ARE GUARANTEED THE ALL-ROUND MENTAL, PHYSICAL, AND SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT OF PEOPLE IN OUR ADVANCED SOCIAL ORDER, THE MARXIST-LENINIST IDEOLOGY, THE JUST IDEAL OF THE BATTLE FOR A BETTER FUTURE FOR ALL MANKIND.

SOVIET TROOPS, WHO HAVE EMERGED FROM A PEOPLE BUILDING COMMUNISM, HAVE ACQUIRED THE VERY FINEST CHARACTERISTICS: MORAL RESOLVE, STRENGTH OF SPIRIT, CLARITY OF THOUGHT, AND PREPAREDNESS TO DO ANYTHING IN THE NAME OF THE HOMELAND. AN ARMY COMPOSED OF SUCH PERSONNEL CANNOT BE DEFEATED. (APPLAUSE)

CARRYING OUT THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT, IN THE LAST FEW YEARS WE HAVE UNDERTAKEN A NUMBER OF IMPORTANT, PRACTICAL STEPS TO INSURE A CONSIDERABLE INCREASE IN THE MILITARY READINESS OF THE ARMY, AIR FORCE, AND NAVY. AND NOW OUR ARMED FORCES--ESPECIALLY THE STRATEGIC ROCKET FORCES AND THE COUNTRY'S ANTI-AIRCRAFT AND ANTI-ROCKET DEFENSE TROOPS--IF THE NECESSITY AROSE, COULD BE QUICKLY BROUGHT TO SUCH A DEGREE OF MILITARY READINESS AS WOULD ENABLE THEM IMMEDIATELY TO SLIP A STRAITJACKET ONTO ANY AGGRESSOR SHOULD HE DARE TO ATTACK US. (APPLAUSE)

TO CONTINUE TO MEET THE GROWING DEMANDS WE WILL WORK RESOLUTELY TO FURTHER INCREASE THE FIGHTING POWER AND FIGHTING READINESS OF OUR ARMED FORCES. THEY ARE DEVELOPING AND GROWING STRONGER IN THEIR COMRADESHIP WITH THE FRATERNAL ARMIES OF THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES UNITED IN THE WARSAW PACT.

IN CONTRAST TO THE IMPERIALIST AGGRESSIVE BLOCs--NATO, CENTO, SEATO, AND THE OTHERS--THE MILITARY ORGANIZATION OF THE SOCIALIST STATES HAS BEEN CREATED NOT FOR ATTACKING OTHER COUNTRIES, NOT FOR AGGRESSION, BUT FOR PROTECTING THE REVOLUTIONARY CONQUESTS OF THE WORKERS FROM ATTACK BY THE IMPERIALISTS, FOR PREVENTING WARS.

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EIGHTH ADD 66 (MALINOVSKIY TEXT)

X X X FOR PREVENTING WARS.

FULL TEXT
9TH TAKE

(CONTINUING TEXT) THE SOCIALIST STATES, HAVING MERGED THEIR ECONOMIC AND MILITARY POTENTIAL, HAVE IMMEASURABLY STRENGTHENED THE DEFENSE POTENTIAL OF THE WHOLE WORLD. SYSTEM OF SOCIALISM AND ARE LIKE AN INVINCIBLE WALL STANDING IN THE WAY OF THE UNLEASHING OF A NEW WORLD WAR BY IMPERIALISTS.

COMRADES, OUR COUNTRY, ENGAGED IN GREAT CREATIVE TOIL FOR THE SAKE OF PEACE, FOR THE WELFARE AND HAPPINESS OF MAN, FOR THE SAKE OF THE VICTORY OF COMMUNISM, IS CONFIDENTLY MARCHING ON THE PATH OF ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL PROGRESS. THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT IS DOING EVERYTHING TO PREVENT THE UNLEASHING OF WAR BY THE IMPERIALIST AGGRESSORS. AT THE SAME TIME THE UNITED STATES AND ITS CLOSEST ALLIES, WHO LOOK UPON WAR AS THE MEANS FOR SOLVING INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES, ARE INTENSIFYING MORE AND MORE THE MILITARIZATION OF THE ECONOMY, THE FASCISTIZATION OF THE ENTIRE PUBLIC LIFE IN THEIR COUNTRIES, AND ARE NURSING PLANS FOR A NEW WORLD WAR. THEY HAVE SURROUNDED THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES WITH NUMEROUS MILITARY BASES AND UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE UNITED STATES HAVE KNOCKED TOGETHER MILITARY AND POLITICAL BLOCS IN THE WEST, THE NEAR EAST, AND THE FAR EAST. THE HOTBEDS OF AGGRESSION CREATED AND SUPPORTED BY IMPERIALISTS IN MANY PARTS OF THE WORLD CONTAIN A THREAT OF THE UNLEASHING OF GENERAL NUCLEAR WAR.

IN THE LAST FEW YEARS THE IMPERIALISTS HAVE FREQUENTLY GRABBED FOR THEIR ARMS, BUT EACH TIME THE SOVIET UNION, THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES, AND ALL THE PEACE-LOVING FORCES STOPPED THE AGGRESSORS IN TIME. THE EVENTS WHICH TOOK PLACE IN THE CARIBBEAN LAST OCTOBER WERE THE LATEST AND MOST CONVINCING EXAMPLE OF THE AGGRESSIVE POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES. IN VIOLATION OF ELEMENTARY INTERNATIONAL NORMS AND LAWS, THE UNITED STATES SET UP AN ARMED BLOCKADE OF THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA AND READIED ITS ARMED FORCES FOR AN ATTACK AGAINST THE FREEDOM ISLAND. AS A RESULT THE WORLD WAS ACTUALLY PLACED ON THE BRINK OF A THERMONUCLEAR CATASTROPHE. IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES THE SOVIET UNION, FAITHFUL TO THE PRINCIPLES OF PROLETARIAN INTERNATIONALISM, COULD NOT REMAIN INDIFFERENT TO THE FATE OF REVOLUTIONARY CUBA AND TOOK A NUMBER OF STEPS TO DEFEND IT. THE SOVIET UNION WAS COMPELLED TO ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS TO BRING ITS ARMED FORCES TO FULL MILITARY READINESS; IN COMPLETE UNANIMITY WITH ITS ALLIED GOVERNMENTS THE ARMED FORCES OF THE WARSAW PACT MEMBER STATES WERE ALSO BROUGHT TO COMPLETE MILITARY READINESS.

NOT ONCE IN THE POSTWAR YEARS HAS THE WORLD BEEN IN SUCH A DANGEROUS SITUATION; AND THANKS ONLY TO THE COURAGEOUS, WISE, AND PERSPICACIOUS POLICY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WITH NIKITA SERGEYEVICH KHRUSHCHEV AT ITS HEAD, THANKS TO THE STEADFASTNESS OF THE HEROIC CUBAN PEOPLE WITH ITS LEADER FIDEL CASTRO AT ITS HEAD, THE CAREFULLY PREPARED ATTACK BY THE UNITED STATES UPON THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA WAS FOILED. (STORMY APPLAUSE)

THE THREAT OF WORLD NUCLEAR WAR HANGING OVER THE WORLD HAS BEEN AVERTED. THE FREEDOM OF THE REVOLUTIONARY CUBAN PEOPLE HAS BEEN DEFENDED. THE UNITED STATES DECLARED THAT IT WOULD NOT INVADE THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA AND WOULD RESTRAIN ITS ALLIES FROM SUCH ACTION. THE FARSIGHTED POLICY OF OUR PARTY AND THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT DURING THOSE EXTREMELY ANXIOUS DAYS HAS BEEN HIGHLY ASSESSED BY THE PEOPLES OF ALL COUNTRIES AS BEING SOBER, REALISTIC, AND PEACE-LOVING TO THE HIGHEST DEGREE. ALL HONEST PEOPLE OF THE WORLD CAME TO THE FIRM CONVICTION THAT THE OVERCOMING OF THE CRISIS OF UTMOST DANGER TO THE DESTINIES OF THE WORLD IN THE AREA OF THE CARIBBEAN WAS A VICTORY OF REASON OVER MADNESS, A VICTORY OF THE POLICY OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE OVER THE POLICY OF CRUDE LAWLESSNESS IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. (APPLAUSE)

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NINTH ADD 66 (MALINOVSKIY TEXT)

X X X INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. (APPLAUDED)

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10:00 TAKE*

(CONTINUING TEXT) THE INITIATIVE OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT, FULLY AWARE OF ITS ENORMOUS MILITARY POWER, MADE IT POSSIBLE TO MARCH WITH A FIRM STRIDE IN THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF A DANGEROUS CRISIS AND IMMEASURABLY RAISED THE PRESTIGE OF THE SOVIET UNION AMONG THE PEOPLES OF THE WHOLE WORLD. THE EVENTS IN THE CARIBBEAN AREA COMPLETELY OPENED THE EYES OF THOSE WHO STILL CONTINUED TO BELIEVE THE MENDACIOUS AMERICAN PROPAGANDA, MADE IT POSSIBLE TO KNOW WHO IS THE TRUE CHAMPION OF PEACE AND WHO PURSUES A POLICY AIMED AT UNLEASHING WAR. THE OVERCOMING OF THE CRISIS IN THE CARIBBEAN AREA WAS A GREAT VICTORY FOR THE FORCES OF PEACE, A VICTORY OF THE SOVIET UNION AND OF ITS PEACE-LOVING POLICY, A GREAT VICTORY OF THE CUBAN PEOPLE (APPLAUDED) LED BY THEIR LEADER FIDEL CASTRO, WHO SHOWED AN UNSHAKABLE WILL AND HEROISM IN THE FACE OF IMPENDING DANGER.

THE THREAT OF A THERMONUCLEAR WAR WAS REMOVED. BUT THIS MUST NOT CAUSE US TO BE COMPLACENT OR RELAX OUR VIGILANCE. U.S. IMPERIALISM IS CONTINUING ITS TREACHEROUS POLICY. IT WOULD LIKE TO DICTATE ITS WILL TO THE WHOLE WORLD. IT VIOLATES INTERNATIONAL LAW AND THE U.N. CHARTER, AND UNCEREMONIOUSLY INTERFERES IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF OTHER COUNTRIES. THIS IS MANIFESTED ESPECIALLY CLEARLY IN ITS APPROACH TO THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA, AN INDEPENDENT SOVEREIGN STATE AND U.N. MEMBER. ALTHOUGH THE PEOPLE OF EACH COUNTRY HAVE THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE FOR THEMSELVES THE STATE SYSTEM WHICH CORRESPONDS TO THEIR INTERESTS, U.S. IMPERIALISM IS APPARENTLY UNWILLING TO RECONCILE ITSELF TO THE FACT THAT THE PEOPLE OF CUBA HAVE CHOSEN THE WAY OF BUILDING A NEW LIFE, THE WAY OF SOCIALISM.

IT WOULD BE NAIVE TO SUPPOSE THAT THE IMPERIALISTS HAVE LAID DOWN THEIR ARMS. THE EVENTS WE NOW OBSERVE SHOW THAT APPARENTLY NOT ALL OF THEM HAVE YET LEARNED TO APPRAISE SOBERLY THE BALANCE OF POWER CREATED IN THE INTERNATIONAL ARENA. THE MOST FRANTIC REACTIONARY CIRCLES IN THE UNITED STATES, WHOM THE AMERICAN THEMSELVES CALL LUNATICS, ARE CONTINUING IN THE PRESS AND IN CONGRESS TO HEIGHTEN TENSION, DEMANDING THE PURSUANCE OF A FIRM POLICY. IN THIS REGARD STATEMENTS ARE BEING MADE WHICH ARE EACH MORE INJUDICIOUS THAN THE OTHER. SENATORS LIKE GOLDWATER, KEATING, AND STENNIS, SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND THE MOST AGGRESSIVE FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES WHICH SUPPORT THEM HAVE RAISED A HYSTERICAL FUSS OVER CUBA AND DEMAND FROM THE U.S. GOVERNMENT EVEN GROSSER INTERFERENCE IN THE AFFAIRS OF THE CUBAN REPUBLIC, RIGHT UP TO THE WAGING OF AN AGGRESSIVE WAR.

THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IS
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DEPARTURE OF THE
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THEY SEND THEIR SHIPS
AND CUT ACROSS THEIR
TRICKS--SOMETHING WHICH
ESCAPADES VIOLATE
FREEDOM OF NAVIGATION
WITH SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES
RESPONSIBILITY FOR THIS WILL BE
BY IT ALONE.

WE WOULD LIKE TO
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REPUBLIC OF CUBA WOULD
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THE WORLD OVER WOULD NOT LIMIT
DEMONSTRATIONS; THEY WILL COME
TO AGGRESSION, AND THE SOVIET
THESE WHO WILL COME TO ITS AID.
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(PROLONGED APPLAUSE)

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TENTH ADD 66 (MALINOVSKIY TEXT)

R X X UNITED STATES. (PROLONGED APPLAUSE)

(CONTINUING TEXT) THE POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES IN RELATION TO CUBA IS A PART OF ITS GENERAL AGGRESSIVE POLICY. WE ARE NOT FORGETTING THE STATEMENT OF U.S. PRESIDENT KENNEDY THAT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES THE UNITED STATES WILL POSSIBLY SHOW INITIATIVE IN A NUCLEAR CONFLICT WITH THE SOVIET UNION. PREVENTIVE WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION HAS ALWAYS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE RANGE OF POSSIBILITIES ENVISAGED BY THE PENTAGON. IN A RECENT SPEECH BEFORE THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, U.S. DEFENSE SECRETARY MCNAMARA SAID THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS MORE THAN 200 INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES AND ABOUT 144 POLARIS MISSILES CARRIED ON ATOMIC SUBMARINES. HE OPENLY STATED THAT THESE FORCES ARE CAPABLE OF DESTROYING THE SOVIET UNION WITHOUT THE HELP OF TACTICAL AIR FORCE UNITS STATIONED ON GROUND BASES, AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNITS, OR MEDIUM-RANGE MISSILES.

THIS IS NOT THE FIRST SUCH SPEECH BY MCNAMARA. SIMILAR STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE BY HIM BEFORE. ALL OF THEM HAVE ONE AIM--THE FURTHER FANNING OF WAR HYSTERIA AND THE ARMS RACE, WHICH HAS ALREADY MORE THAN ONCE BROUGHT MANKIND TO THE BRINK OF WAR. IF MCNAMARA WANTS TO GO ALONG THIS ROAD, THEN AS SECRETARY OF DEFENSE HE MUST FIRST OF ALL WEIGH THE REAL FACTS AND THINK: IN THE FINAL ANALYSIS, TO WHAT END WILL THIS ROAD BRING THE IMPERIALIST AGGRESSORS?

I RESOLUTELY MAINTAIN THAT TO THE 344 MISSILES WITH WHICH MR. MCNAMARA THREATENS US, WE SHALL ANSWER WITH A SIMULTANEOUS STRIKE OF A QUANTITY OF MISSILES SEVERAL TIMES GREATER AND WITH SUCH POWERFUL NUCLEAR CHARGES (INTERRUPTED BY APPLAUSE) THAT THEY WOULD ACTUALLY WIPE OFF THE FACE OF THE EARTH ALL TARGETS AND INDUSTRIAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, AND POLITICAL CENTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, AND WOULD COMPLETELY DESTROY THOSE COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE MADE THEIR TERRITORY AVAILABLE FOR AMERICAN MILITARY BASES. (APPLAUSE)

WE ONCE AGAIN FIRMLY REMIND WESTERN STATESMEN THAT THE SOVIET UNION CANNOT BE INTIMIDATED. THE POWER OF OUR RETALIATORY STRIKE IS MORE THAN SUFFICIENT TO BURN THE AGGRESSORS IN THE FIRST HOURS OF WAR. THAT IS WHY THEY CAN ONLY BE ADVISED NOT TO LOSE THEIR SENSES AND TO KEEP THEIR HANDS AS FAR AWAY AS POSSIBLE FROM THE BUTTONS WHOSE PRESSING COULD LEAD TO THE UNLEASHING OF A NUCLEAR CATASTROPHE.

THE LATEST FACTS SHOW THAT THE UNITED STATES AND ITS PARTNERS IN MILITARY BLOCS DO NOT WANT TO MOVE AHEAD WITH THE BANNING OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTS AND WITH DISARMAMENT. IN REPLY TO COMPROMISE PROPOSALS OF THE SOVIET UNION CONCERNING THE INSPECTION SYSTEM, THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ISSUED INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESUMING UNDERGROUND NUCLEAR TESTS. THESE ACTIONS DO NOT AT ALL COMPORT WITH THE STATEMENTS AND TALK OF WESTERN POLITICIANS ABOUT DISARMAMENT. ON THE CONTRARY, UNDER THE COVER OF NEGOTIATIONS ABOUT DISARMAMENT THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ALLIES ARE CONSTANTLY INCREASING MILITARY APPROPRIATIONS AND CONTINUE AN UNRESTRAINED NUCLEAR WEAPONS RACE.

APPARENTLY THEY HAVE NOT TAUGHT THE IMPERIALISTS ANYTHING. AND NOW, JUST AS OVER TWO DECADES AGO, THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC, THAT CENTER OF MILITARISM AND REVANCHISM, IS BEING ARMED WITH FULL SUPPORT OF THE WESTERN POWERS. BONN MILITARISTS SIMULTANEOUSLY RECEIVE FLATTERING PROPOSALS FROM WASHINGTON AND PARIS. THE FIRST PROPOSAL OPENS UP THE ROAD TO ATOMIC ARMAMENT FOR GERMAN REVANCHISM THROUGH THE MULTILATERAL NATO NUCLEAR FORCES; THE OTHER PROPOSAL OPENS THE SAME ROAD THROUGH THE NEW BONN-PARIS AXIS. THE AIM OF ALL THESE PREPARATIONS IS QUITE CLEAR. AS BEFORE, THEY ARE DIRECTED AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER SOCIALIST STATES. TO ALL THIS WE CAN SAY: YOU, GENTLEMEN, SHALL NOT SUCCEED IN CATCHING US UNAWARES. THE SACRIFICE OF THE PEOPLES OF THE SOVIET UNION IN THEIR STRUGGLE AGAINST THE IMPERIALIST AGGRESSORS HAVE BEEN TOO GREAT. WE SHALL BE VIGILANT

AT THE SAME TIME WE REALIZE QUITE WELL THE DESTRUCTIVE POWER OF THE PRESENT NUCLEAR WEAPONS, WHICH ARE CAPABLE OF SUDDENLY WIPING FROM THE FACE OF THE EARTH WHOLE COUNTRIES, TO TURN BIG TOWNS INTO DUST, AND TO DESTROY MANY MILLIONS OF PEOPLE.

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ELEVENTH AND LAST ADD 66 (MALINOVSKIY TEXT)

X X X MILLIONS OF PEOPLE.

(CONCLUDING TEXT) THIS IS WHY WE SUGGEST THAT THE EFFORTS OF ALL UPRIGHT PEOPLE IN THE WORLD BE CONCENTRATED ON THE OBJECTIVE OF CURBING THE IMPERIALISTS IN GOOD TIME, OF DEPRIVING THEM OF THE POSSIBILITY OF RESORTING TO THE USE OF THAT LETHAL WEAPON. THE POLICY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT IS AIMED AT THE ELIMINATION OF THE POSSIBILITY OF THE UNLEASHING OF THE THERMONUCLEAR CATASTROPHE. THE SOVIET UNION WILL CONTINUE IN THE FUTURE TO EXERT PERSISTENT EFFORTS WITH A VIEW TO ACHIEVING GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT UNDER STRICT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL. AS LONG AS IMPERIALISM EXISTS, AS LONG AS THE IMPERIALIST POWERS ARE NOT EMBARKING ON DISARMAMENT, THE DANGER OF THEIR UNLEASHING AGGRESSIVE WARS STILL PERSISTS.

PARTICULARLY HIGH VIGILANCE IS REQUIRED FROM US NOW AS NEVER BEFORE. IT IS IMPERATIVE FOR US NOW AS NEVER BEFORE TO MAINTAIN FULL MILITARY PREPAREDNESS. WE HAVE TO BE CONSTANTLY ON THE LOOKOUT, WE HAVE TO KEEP THE POWDER DRY, TO STRENGTHEN THE DEFENSE CAPACITY OF OUR COUNTRY AND IMPROVE THE ARMED FORCES. (APPLAUSE) THE INTEREST OF THE DEFENSE OF OUR COUNTRY DEMAND FROM THE PERSONNEL OF THE ARMED FORCES THAT THEY INDEFATIGABLY RAISE THEIR COMBAT SKILL AND IDEOLOGICAL-POLITICAL TEMPERING, PERFECTLY MASTER NEW MILITARY EQUIPMENT, CONSTANTLY ADVANCE MILITARY SCIENCE, STRENGTHEN MILITARY DISCIPLINE, AND IMPROVE THE FORMS AND METHODS OF MILITARY AND POLITICAL TRAINING.

IN DEVELOPING THE MILITARY MIGHT OF OUR ARMED FORCES AND RAISING THEIR MILITARY PREPAREDNESS, WE MUST VIGILANTLY FOLLOW THE INTRIGUES OF THE IMPERIALISTS AND STUDY ALL THEIR HABITS. AND IF THEY STILL IMPOSE A WAR UPON US, LET THE IMPERIALIST GENTLEMEN THEN BLAME THEMSELVES. (APPLAUSE) THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES WILL STRIKE DOWN UPON THEM WITH THEIR ENTIRE OVERWHELMING MIGHT (APPLAUSE) IT WILL BE THE LAST WAR, ONE IN WHICH THE IMPERIALISTS AND THEIR ENTIRE SYSTEM OF CAPITALISM WILL BE BURIED ONCE AND FOR ALL. (STORMY APPLAUSE)

COMRADES, DURING 45 YEARS THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES HAVE COVERED A GREAT MILITARY PATH AND HAVE COVERED THEMSELVES IN THE UNFADING GLORY OF GREAT VICTORIES. THEIR SELFLESS SERVICE TO THEIR SOCIALIST MOTHERLAND, THEIR PEOPLE, AND THE IDEALS OF COMMUNISM ARE AN EXEMPLARY FULFILLMENT OF THEIR SERVICEMAN'S DUTY. MARKING THE 45TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARMED FORCES, THE PERSONNEL OF THE ARMY AND THE NAVY EXPRESS THEIR FEELINGS OF PROFOUND GRATITUDE TO THE GREAT PARTY OF LENIN, THE CREATOR AND LEADER OF THE SOVIET ARMY, FOR ITS DAILY CONCERN FOR THE STRENGTHENING OF THE DEFENSE MIGHT OF OUR STATE. (APPLAUSE)

ON THE DAY OF THEIR GLORIOUS JUBILEE, SERVICEMEN OF THE SOVIET ARMY AND NAVY ONCE MORE ASSURE THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE THAT THE ARMED FORCES ARE STANDING VIGILANTLY AT THEIR POSTS LIKE FAITHFUL GUARDS OF THEIR MOTHERLAND, AND ARE ALWAYS PREPARED TO IMPLEMENT ANY ORDER OF THE PARTY AND GOVERNMENT. (APPLAUSE) THE SOVIET PEOPLE CAN PEACEFULLY AND CONFIDENTLY BUILD THE SHINING EDIFICE OF THE COMMUNIST SOCIETY. REARED BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY, BOUNDLESSLY DEVOTED TO THEIR PEOPLE, THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES VIGILANTLY STAND GUARD OVER THE PEACEFUL TOIL OF THE BUILDERS OF COMMUNISM. (APPLAUSE)

LONG LIVE THE VALIANT SOVIET ARMED FORCES LONG LIVE THE HEROIC SOVIET PEOPLE--BUILDERS OF COMMUNISM. (APPLAUSE) GLORY TO OUR COMMUNIST PARTY--INSPIRER AND ORGANIZER OF OUR VICTORIES (PRLONGED APPLAUSE)

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